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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAM. INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
JTN	2 9 2 2 3 5 9	01/26/1960	Brouse et al.			
JTN	3 2 9 5 4 3 6	01/03/1967	Brouse et al.			
JTN	4 5 7 7 5 5 4	03/25/1986	Brouse			
JTN	4 8 1 7 5 1 9	04/04/1989	Brouse et al.			
JTN	5 4 3 3 2 5 5	06/18/1995	Weidel			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION
					YES NO

## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

JTN		Photograph of partially disassembled prior art machine designated as "340 Series Automatic Wire Tying Head".
JTN		Marathon Equipment Company brochure entitled "Two-Ram Balers" (published prior to April 14, 2003).
JTN		Cranston Machinery Co., Inc., Technical Specification No. TO23, entitled "Cranston 970 Series Wire Strapper" (published prior to April 14, 2003).
JTN		U.S. Wire-Tie Systems brochure entitled "Model 330 Wire-Tying System" (published prior to April 14, 2003).
JTN		U.S. Wire-Tie Systems brochure entitled "Model 340 Wire-Tying System" (published prior to April 14, 2003).

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

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